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In re Application of	:
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Mane-Si Laure LEE	: Confirmation No.6667
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Filed: April 14, 2006	: Examiner: AUDREY Y CHANG

For: DIFFRACTIVE BINARY OPTICAL ELEMENT FOR USING IN A LARGE SPECTRAL RANGE

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

A refund in the amount of \$130.00 is requested for the following reason:

Applicants received an Office Action dated March 28, 2008 from the USPTO with a response being due June 28, 2008 in order to avoid extension of time fees. A response was filed on June 27, 2008.

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Applicants received a Final Office Action dated March 23, 2009 from the USPTO with a response being due June 23, 2009 in order to avoid extension fees. A response was filed on June 23, 2009. In addition, a Supplemental Amendment to correct typographical errors in the Remarks section was filed on June 25, 2009.

Applicants received an Advisory Action dated July 14, 2009 from the USPTO. A response has not yet been filed.

On June 30, 2009 Deposit Account No. 07-1337 was charged in the amount of \$130.00 for fee code 1251. Applicants did not owe any fees for an extension of time as all filings were

filed before their due date. The filing of the Supplemental Amendment does not constitute the Applicant being charged an extension of time fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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